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A statement of the date of receipt in the U.S. Department of Energy of the copy of the statement and the copy of the application is requested to determine the starting of the 90-day period recited in paragraph 2 of Section 152. An endorsed copy of this letter is provided for this purpose.

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This application has been reviewed and from the information at hand you are hereby advised that the U.S. Department of Energy will not file a directive in this case.

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